

## Reminders (Sept. 19)

- Do ~2 pages of works towards solving exercises & visit my office for ~15 minutes — counts as 1 extra quiz.
- 9/26: review; 10/1: test
- Choose ultralimits ~~of~~ higher differences tonight.
- Bring USB drive or laptop to my office if you need help installing Tex Live.

# 4335 Quiz 9/19

In a compact metric space,  
every sequence \_\_\_\_\_.

A) converges

B) has a convergent subsequence ✓

C) diverges

D) has a divergent subsequence

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$$X = [0, 1] \quad d(x, y) = |x - y|$$

→ compact metric space

0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, ... diverges

0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ... converges

↳ all subsequences converge

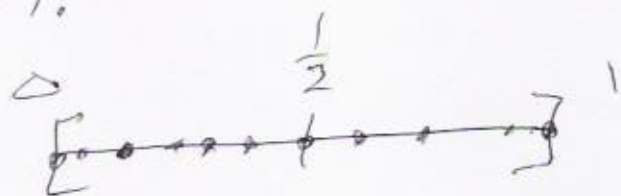
Proof that every sequence  $\{p_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  in  $[0, 1]$  has a convergent subsequence:

There are infinitely many  $n \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ .

Either  $p_n \in [0, \frac{1}{2}]$  for  $\infty$ -many  $n$ ,

or  $p_n \in [\frac{1}{2}, 1]$  for  $\infty$ -many  $n$ ,

or both.



Let  $E_0 = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

$I_0 = [0, 1]$ .

$I_1 = [0, \frac{1}{2}]$  or  $[\frac{1}{2}, 1]$

and  $E_1 = \{n : p_n \in I_1\}$

Choose  $I_1$  such that  $E_1$  is infinite. Let  $n_1 = \min(E_1)$ ;

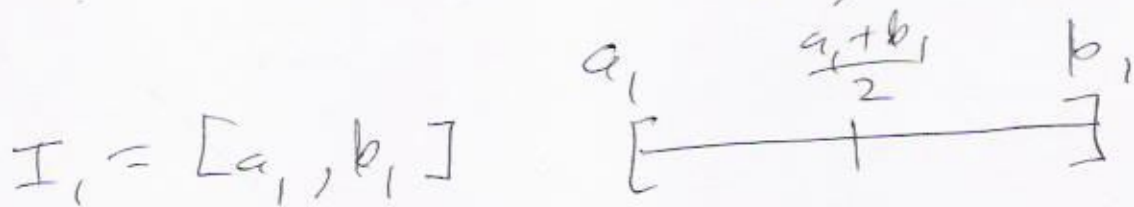
$a_1 = \min(I_1)$  &  $b_1 = \max(I_1)$ .

$E_1 - \{u_1\} = \{m \in E_1 : m \neq u_1\}$   
 is infinite, <sup>so</sup> either  $\infty$ -many

$n \in E_1 - \{u_1\}$  are such that  $p_n \in [a_1, \frac{a_1+b_1}{2}]$ ,

or  $\infty$ -many  $n \in E_1 - \{u_1\}$  are

such that  $p_n \in [\frac{a_1+b_1}{2}, b_1]$ , or both.



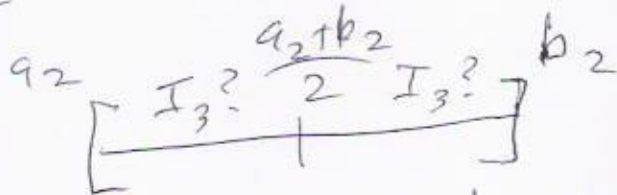
Choose  $I_2 = [a_1, \frac{a_1+b_1}{2}]$  or

$$I_2 = [\frac{a_1+b_1}{2}, b_1]$$

such that  $E_2 = \{n \in E_1 - \{u_1\} : p_n \in I_2\}$

is infinite. Let  $u_2 = \min(E_2)$ ,

$a_2 = \min(I_2)$ ,  $b_2 = \max(I_2)$ .



$$I_3 = [a_2, \frac{a_2+b_2}{2}] \text{ or } [\frac{a_2+b_2}{2}, b_2]$$

Choose  $I_3$  such that

$E_3 = \{n \in E_2 - \{u_2\} : p_n \in I_3\}$

is infinite. Repeat to define

$I_4, I_5, I_6, \dots, n_3, n_4, n_5, \dots$

$E_4, E_5, E_6, \dots, a_3, a_4, a_5, \dots$

$b_3, b_4, b_5, \dots$  in the same way.



$$b_{k+1} - a_{k+1} = \frac{b_k - a_k}{2}$$

$$b_0 - a_0 = 1 = 2^0$$

$$\parallel \quad \parallel$$

$$1 \quad 0$$

$$b_1 - a_1 = \frac{1}{2} = 2^{-1}$$

$$b_2 - a_2 = \frac{b_1 - a_1}{2} = \frac{1}{4} = 2^{-2}$$

$$b_k - a_k = 2^{-k}$$

$$\hookrightarrow b_{k+1} - a_{k+1} = \frac{b_k - a_k}{2} = 2^{-(k+1)}$$

$$\forall n \in E_k \quad p_n \in I_k = [a_k, b_k]$$

$$\forall n \in E_k \quad a_k \leq p_n \leq b_k$$

$$n_k = \min(E_k)$$

$$n_k \notin E_{k+1}$$

$$n_k < \min(E_{k+1}) = a_{k+1}$$

$$\hookrightarrow n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < n_4 < \dots$$

$$E_{k+1} \subset E_k - \{n_k\} \subset E_k$$

$$n_{k+1} = \min(E_{k+1}) \in E_{k+1} \subset E_k$$

$$n_{k+2} \in E_{k+2} \subset E_{k+1} \subset E_k$$

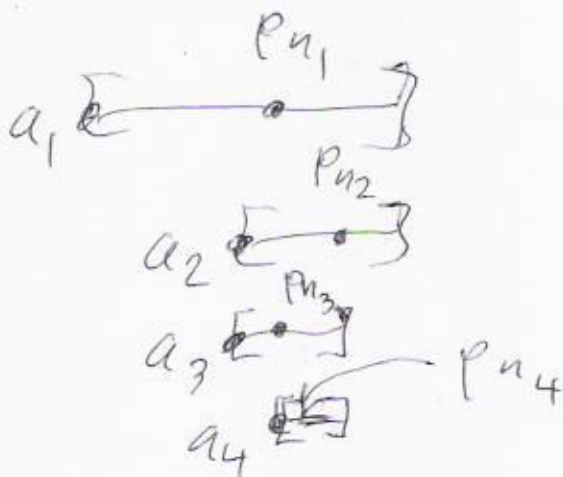
$$\forall l \geq k \quad n_l \in E_k, \text{ so } p_{n_l} \in I_k$$

$$\forall l \geq k \quad a_k \leq p_{n_l} \leq b_k = a_k + 2^{-k}$$

$$\forall x, y \in I_k \quad d(x, y) \leq d(a_k, b_k) = 2^{-k}$$

Let  ~~$s = \limsup \{a_k : k=1, 2, 3, \dots\}$~~

$$s = \sup \{a_k : k=1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$



$$\forall l \geq k$$

$$a_k \leq p_{n_l} \leq a_k + 2^{-k}$$

$$a_1 \leq a_2 \leq a_3 \leq a_4 \leq \dots \leq b_4 \leq b_3 \leq b_2 \leq b_1$$

Every  $b_m$  is an upper bound

of  $\{a_k : k=1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ .

$s$  is the least upper bound,

$$\text{so } a_1 \leq a_2 \leq a_3 \leq \dots \leq s \leq \dots \leq b_3 \leq b_2 \leq b_1$$

$$\forall k \quad \forall l \geq k \quad p_{n_l}, s \in [a_k, b_k]$$

$$\star \forall k \quad \forall l \geq k \quad d(p_{n_l}, s) \leq d(a_k, b_k) = 2^{-k}$$

" $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} p_{n_k} = s$ " means  $\forall \epsilon > 0$

$$\exists N_\epsilon \quad \forall l \geq N_\epsilon \quad d(p_{n_l}, s) < \epsilon.$$

To prove  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} p_{n_k} = s$ , let  $\epsilon > 0$ .

Then choose  $k > -\log_2(\epsilon)$

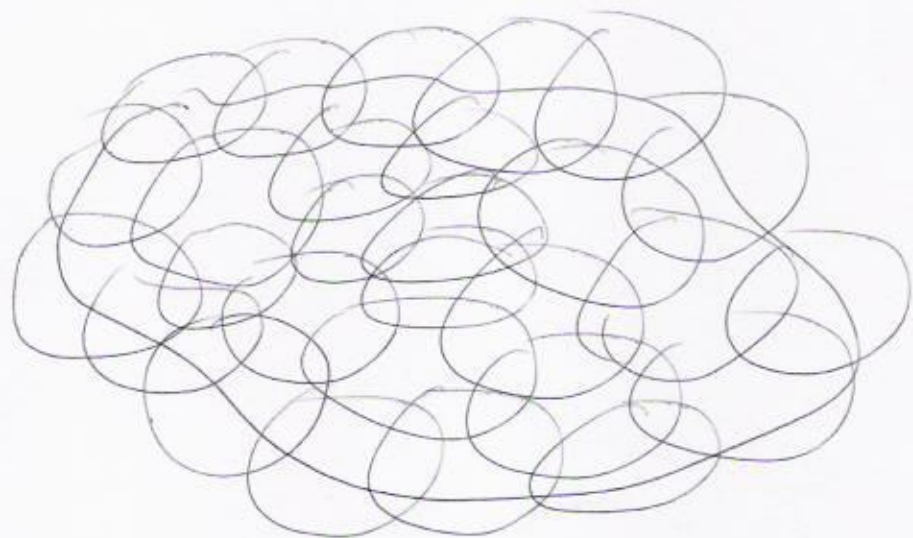
(Solve  $2^{-k} < \epsilon$  for  $k$ .)

Then  $0 < 2^{-k} < \epsilon$ . Set  $N_\epsilon = k$ .

$\forall \ell \geq N_\varepsilon (=k) \quad d(p_{n_\ell}, s) \leq 2^{-k} < \varepsilon,$   
as desired.  $\square$

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General argument for compact metric spaces goes through 2.20, which says every infinite set  $A$  in a compact metric space has a limit point.



Given a finite open cover

$U_1, \dots, U_n$ ,  $U_k \cap A$  is infinite

for at least one  $k$ .

Then repeat with an open cover



of  $\overline{U_k}$ , which is compact because it's closed in the compact set  $X$ .

The  $m$ th open cover should be a finite cover by open balls of radius  $2^{-m}$  (or  $1/m$ ).

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sets  $\neq$  sequences

set  $\{0, 1, 0, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2\} = \{0, 1, 2\}$

seq.  $(0, 1, 0, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2) \neq (0, 1, 2)$

The range of  ~~$\{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$~~

$(a_1, \dots, a_n)$  is  $\{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$

"(un)bounded sequence"

= "sequence with (un)bounded range"

Definition "A is B if C."

means  $(A \text{ is } B) \Leftrightarrow C$ .

"Theorem/Lemma/Proposition/Fact/  
Corollary/etc. A is B if C."

means  $(A \text{ is } B) \Leftarrow C$ .

"Thm/Lem/Prop/etc

A is B if and only if C."

means  $(A \text{ is } B) \Leftrightarrow C$ .

Informal description of  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_n = x$ :

For every desired accuracy level, the sequence eventually commits to equalling  $x$  ( $\pm$  accuracy level).

Picture:-



$\forall \epsilon > 0$

Eventually, it stops leaving the inside of the disc.

Prove that if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = s$  &

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = t$  &  $\forall n \quad b_n \neq 0$ , then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \frac{s}{t}.$$

Use 3.3(d):  $\forall (x_n)_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \left[ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \gamma \right. \right.$   
 $\left. \left. \& \forall n \quad x_n \neq 0 \right] \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x_n} = \frac{1}{\gamma} \right]$

$$\text{Therefore, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{b_n} = \frac{1}{t}$$

$$3.3(c): \forall (x_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}, \forall (y_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

$$\left[ \left[ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = z \ \& \ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = w \right] \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (x_n y_n) = zw$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \left( \frac{1}{b_n} \right)$$

$$= \left( \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \right) \left( \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{b_n} \right) = s \left( \frac{1}{t} \right) = \frac{s}{t} \checkmark$$

Prove that if  $\forall n \ a_n, b_n, c_n \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\& \ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ then}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n \text{ & } a_n \leq b_n \leq c_n, \text{ then}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = x \text{ too.}$$

Similarly to proof of 3.3,

given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , choose  $M, N$

such that 
$$\begin{cases} \forall k \geq M & d(a_n, x) < \varepsilon \\ \forall k \geq N & d(c_n, x) < \varepsilon. \end{cases}$$

Let  $L = \max(M, N)$ .

$\forall k \geq L$ , we have  $d(b_n, x) < \varepsilon$

because  $a_n \leq b_n \leq c_n$  &

Case  $x < b_n$ :

$$x < b_n \leq c_n \Rightarrow d(b_n, x) < d(c_n, x) < \varepsilon;$$

Case  $b_n \leq x$ :

$$a_n \leq b_n \leq x \Rightarrow d(b_n, x) \leq d(a_n, x) < \varepsilon.$$

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